



### A GERMAN MEMORIAL.

#### THE NATIONAL MONUMENT UNVEILED.

THE CELEBRATIONS WITNESSED BY CROWDS—RECEPTION TO THE EMPEROR.

Great crowds gathered at Niederwald, Germany, yesterday, to witness the unveiling of the National Monument which has been erected as a memorial of the German victory of 1870-71. The Emperor William was present and expressed much satisfaction with the arrangements. He was enthusiastically cheered by the people as he passed through Weisbaden to attend a banquet at the royal castle. A counter demonstration was held in Paris at the statue of Strasburg.

#### POPULAR CELEBRATION AT NIEDERWALD.

CASTLES AND VILLAGES ILLUMINATED—THE EMPEROR AT TWO BANQUETS.

RUDESHEIM, Sept. 28.—The Germania Monument was unveiled today at Niederwald, in the presence of a great crowd of persons, who came from all parts of the Empire. Besides the German Princes, the Princesses, the Mayors of Hamburg, Bremen and Lubeck, and nearly every prominent person connected with the military and civil government were present. Each division of the German army was represented. About 15,000 members of the Krieger Verein, 10,000 members of various singing societies and 8,000 Turners were in attendance. All the German Sovereigns and Princes assembled before the monument, and the ceremonies proceeded in accordance with the programme. The villages and castles along the Rhine were illuminated last evening, and bonfires and blue lights were burned on all the heights. The total cost of the statue was over 1,000,000 marks. The inscription upon it says: "In memory of the unanimous and victorious rising of the German People, and the re-establishment of the German Empire—1870-1871."

Emperor William repeatedly expressed his thanks to the committee having charge of the festival for their excellent arrangements upon the occasion. Upon his return to this city he met with a hearty reception from the people, and at a banquet drank to the prosperity of the town.

#### SPEECH OF THE EMPEROR WILLIAM.

The following is the text of the Emperor William's speech at the Niederwald unveiling: "When Providence desires to signify its will with regard to mighty events upon the earth, it selects the time, countries and instruments to accomplish its purpose. The years 1870 and 1871 were a time when such purpose was indicated. Our threatened Germany arose in its love for the Fatherland as one man and with the prices at the head stood in arms as the instrument. The Almighty conducted these arms after sanguinary conflicts from victory to victory, and United Germany takes its place in the history of the world. Millions of hearts have raised their prayers to God and given Him humble thanks, praising Him for esteem and worthy of accomplishment. His will. Germany to the remotest time desires to give constant expression to this feeling of gratitude. In this sense the monument standing before us was erected. In the words spoken at the laying of the foundation stone, words which my late father, after the wars of 1813 to 1815, bequeathed to me to posterity, I dedicate this monument: 'To the fallen, a memorial; to the living, an acknowledgment; to coming generations, a school of education. May God vouchsafe it.'"

On concluding his address the Emperor unveiled the monument. He then shook hands with each of the princes present.

WIESBADEN, Sept. 28.—The Emperor and suite arrived here late this afternoon. He passed through the streets, which were lined with great crowds of people, and with continual cheering. The Emperor went to the royal castle, where a banquet in honor of the occasion was given in the evening.

COUNTER DEMONSTRATION IN PARIS.

PARIS, Sept. 28.—As a counter demonstration to the unveiling of the statue of Germania on the Rhine by the Germans, a crowd of Parisians assembled this afternoon around the statue of "Strasburg," in the Place de la Concorde, and indulged in patriotic cries. The demonstration passed off without any disorder.

### O'DONNELL COMMITTED.

#### EVIDENCE AGAINST THE PRISONER.

TESTIMONY BY CAREY'S SON, WIFE AND OTHER WITNESSES.

LONDON, Sept. 28.—O'Donnell, the murderer of Carey, was taken this morning before Magistrate Flower, at the Bow Street Court, when his examination was resumed. The court-room was crowded. Among those present were J. C. McCona, Member of Parliament for Wicklow, and Arthur O'Connor, Member of Parliament for Queens County. Mr. Sullivan, counsel for O'Donnell, cross-examined James Parish, a servant on the steamer Melrose, and Thomas Jones, the boatman, but elicited from them nothing new. When the latter repeated O'Donnell's expression to Mrs. Carey, "I did not do it," the prisoner, who maintained a cool demeanor throughout the examination, smiled as if the expression amused him. Parish testified that he saw no evidence of passion on the part of O'Donnell during the shooting. Both Parish and Jones testified that they saw no struggle between O'Donnell and Carey.

The son of Carey was also cross-examined. He stated that O'Donnell was sitting when he fired the first shot, and that his father pressed by his cross-examination, he said that he was not clear what the words used by O'Donnell were.

Mrs. Carey appeared, dressed in deep mourning. In giving her testimony she recounted the incidents of the voyage, corroborating the other witnesses in regard to the circumstances of the murder, except that she testified that after her husband was shot she said to O'Donnell, "You shot my husband!" O'Donnell replied, she said, "Don't blame me; I was sent to do it," whereupon the woman who was with him said: "Don't mind, O'Donnell, you are no informer."

Magistrate Flower asked O'Donnell if he had anything to say in answer to the charge of murdering Carey. O'Donnell replied: "Not at present." The prisoner was then ordered to stand committed for trial at the next session of the Central Criminal Court.

LONDON, Sept. 28.—The Nation accuses the British Government and the American Legation in London of foul play toward O'Donnell, in the hope that he may implicate the friends of Mr. Parish in the conspiracy to murder Carey.

### THE TONGKIN NEGOTIATIONS.

#### THE TERMS OF CHINA NOT ACCEPTABLE.

THE COUNTRY ABANDONED BY THE BLACK FLAGS TO BE RECONQUERED.

LONDON, Sept. 28.—A dispatch from Paris to Reuters Telegram Company says: "China claims both banks of the Red River, with the central zone southwards. The French Government has declared that it cannot accept these terms, because by doing so it would lose all the fruits of its expedition, obtaining neither the delta, the Red River, the rich mining districts of Tonquin, nor a monopoly of the trade with the southwest provinces of China. The text of the Hue treaty will not arrive for a month. The recent retreat of the Black Flags is explained by the fact that since the signing of the treaty the King of Annam has ceased to send subsidies. The Paris correspondent of The London News states that henceforth the negotiations upon the Tonquin question between China and France will be conducted by M. Tricoire, the French Minister to China, at Peking."

SAIGON, Sept. 28.—Dispatches from Ha-Noi state that Colonel Bichot started on September 17 with two battalions of troops to reconquer the country abandoned by the Black Flags, and demolish their defenses. He will return to Ha-Noi by the first bank of the river.

PARIS, Sept. 28.—The French Legation at Hue is guarded by marines from the fleet. The Annamite Government has sent out orders to the military mandarins disbanding all the Annamite troops who

### MISCELLANEOUS FOREIGN NEWS.

#### KING ALFONSO AND HIS JOURNEY.

MADRID, Sept. 28.—The members of the Cabinet feel confident that the hostility shown in the articles published by the French press will not affect the reception in France of King Alfonso. They are inclined to recommend to the King the granting of the petition of the Badajoz insurgents for pardon, and to permit their return to Spain.

BRUSSELS, Sept. 28.—A gala performance in honor of King Alfonso was given at the Royal Theatre this evening. All the members of the Cabinet and the foreign diplomats were present. King Alfonso and the King and Queen of the Belgians were heartily cheered when they entered the theatre.

#### KING MILAN IN VIENNA.

VIENNA, Sept. 28.—King Milan arrived here today. He had interviews with the Emperor Francis Joseph and Count Kalnoky, Minister of Foreign Affairs.

#### THE BULGARIAN TROUBLES.

VIENNA, Sept. 28.—The *Freidenblatt* gives currency to a report that Prince Alexander, of Bulgaria, left Sofia yesterday, incognito, for Vienna. [If this proves to be correct, the reason for Prince Alexander leaving his capital is probably to consult with the Emperor Francis Joseph, and may be considered as connected with the reported protest of Russia to the Powers, regarding recent events in Bulgaria.]

ATHENS, Sept. 28.—The Porte, in its note to the European Powers, relative to the condition of affairs in Bulgaria, calls their attention to the armament of Bulgaria.

#### A SUCCESSOR TO PERE BECKX ELECTED.

ROME, Sept. 28.—The election of a successor to Pere Beckx, General of the Order of Jesuits, has terminated. The successor, whose name is kept a secret, was presented to the Pope on Saturday. The selection was made after a warm contest.

#### NIGHTLIT PLOTS IN RUSSIA.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 28.—In connection with the recent numerous arrests of Russian army officers implicated in Nightlit plots, a large depot has been discovered at Charkoff containing arms, gunpowder, dynamite bombs and printing apparatus.

#### ALANLORD SHOT DEAD.

BALLINA, County Mayo, Sept. 28.—Mr. Crotty, a landlord, was shot dead this morning at his house in Kinnary Park. He had been wounded several times previously.

#### THE DISASTER TO THE ROTTERDAM.

LONDON, Sept. 28.—Lloyds reports that the steamship Rotterdam, Captain Kryn, from New-York September 12, for Rotterdam, and which is ashore on the Bequaard coast of Holland, has broken in halves.

#### THE SHOOTING OF MR. PARNELL DENIED.

LONDON, Sept. 28.—The report of the shooting of Mr. Parnell is false. He left this city for Leeds this morning.

#### TIDEWATER LOGAN SENTENCED.

CANTON, Sept. 28.—The jury in the case of Tidewater Logan, charged with having originated the recent riots here, today returned a verdict of guilty of manslaughter. He was sentenced to seven years' penal servitude.

#### NOTES FROM THE DOMINION.

MONTREAL, Sept. 28.—It is understood here that George Stephens, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, will shortly be knighted.

The Rev. Séguin, pastor of the St. Ceneogede Church, has been called upon by the Bishop to explain matters regarding his rebuke to the Irish Catholics from the pulpit last Sunday.

Miss Lett, of Brooklyn, has entered suit against the lower part of the river hotel on the ground of defamatory and summary removal from the hotel. The damages are laid at \$50,000.

#### FOREIGN NOTES.

COPENHAGEN, Sept. 28.—The King of Greece will start on Monday on a visit to England.

BERLIN, Sept. 28.—Prince and Princess Herbert Bismarck have arrived at Potsdam.

GLASGOW, Sept. 28.—Two shocks of earthquake were felt here yesterday evening.

LONDON, Sept. 28.—A Paris dispatch to The Daily Telegraph states that the report that negotiations had been reopened by Great Britain with the Suez Canal Company relative to a new canal is entirely unfounded.

PARIS, Sept. 28.—M. Waldeck Rousseau, Minister of the Interior, has telegraphed an order to the Prefect of Savoy prohibiting the holding of meetings there of the Salvation Army.

BRUSSELS, Sept. 28.—The work of straightening the lower part of the river Weser has begun. The expense, which is to be borne by the Corporation of Bremen, will exceed \$500,000.

PARIS, Sept. 28.—President Grévy is expected to arrive in this city today. He will preside at the meeting of the French Academy.

BRUSSELS, Sept. 28.—The *Independence Belge* is enabled to affirm that the recent letters from Congo, published in English and American journals, represent simply the personal views of the writers. It says that no modification of the plans of the International African Association is contemplated.

#### A WILD JUMP FOR A HAT.

NARROW ESCAPE OF JOHN MEHAN, A TAMMANY DELEGATE TO BUFFALO.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 28.—As the Tammany train, on its return from Buffalo, was running at full speed this morning, it was narrowly averted between Byron and Batavia, John Mehan, a Tammany delegate, lost his hat from a window. Rushing to the door of the car he jumped off. It was thought that he was killed, as the train was running down grade at the rate of thirty-five miles an hour. Mehan was picked up in an unconscious condition and taken to Batavia, where his wounds were dressed. One leg was cut to the bone from thigh to ankle. His head was badly injured, the face lacerated and his body bruised all over. He was placed on the first train for New-York. There is no doubt that he will recover.

Mr. Mehan was a well-known and popular legislator, who was walking on the track at Port Byron.

#### TWO DEPUTY MARSHALS KILLED.

LITTLE ROCK, Sept. 28.—A special to The Gazette from Fort Smith says: "Yesterday morning, while Deputy United States Marshals Lock and Merrill were attempting to arrest John Bark and a Cherokee named John M. Jacks, whisky peddlers, between Childers Station and Webster's Falls, in the Indian Nation, both officers were killed. Bark was an old member of the force. Merrill was only twenty-two years old, and came from Jackson, Tenn."

#### LIVES IN DANGER IN CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—While being towed out of the river this morning, the large schooner David Vance struck at abutment of the Adams Street Viaduct, knocking a section of it sixty feet long off the pier to the ground below, a distance of twenty or thirty feet. A number of persons and one or two horses went down with it, and several were severely, but none was fatally hurt. A woman, who was thrown into the river, was rescued.

#### GIFT TO THE VERMONT UNIVERSITY.

BURLINGTON, Vt., Sept. 28.—John P. Howard tonight announced his intention of giving a new building for the medical department of the University of Vermont, and of refitting the old building for a gymnasium. The cost will be about \$40,000. This will make \$100,000 that Mr. Howard has given to the University and the city within ten years.

#### THE STRATFORD MURDER CASE.

STRATFORD, Conn., Sept. 28.—To-morrow morning the jury in the Rose Clark murder case will resume the inquest, but it is believed that they will not throw much new light on the mystery. The suspicious which have existed against William Lewis seem to be weakening. Michael Herlin, a suspected person, is reported to have left town this morning. What his reasons are for such a course could not be ascertained.

Samuel Durand, of Birmingham, has testified that there was a customer in his store when Lewis came there on either the Monday or Tuesday morning after the murder, but he could not recall who the customer was. It is said that this customer will appear as a witness in the case, but it is not known whether it was Monday or Tuesday; but he does not wish to be drawn into the case unless absolutely necessary.

Coroner Holt when asked for his opinion as to the probability of a verdict to-morrow was reticent, but

### ANOTHER MISERY AT STRATFORD.

#### THE BODY OF AN UNKNOWN MAN FOUND IN THE HOUSATONIC RIVER.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.]

STRATFORD, Sept. 28.—The town of Stratford is again excited over what looked like another murder. Early this morning a body was found in the Hosatonic River about two miles from here, which bore evidence of foul play. It was first discovered by Charles Maultrop, a fisherman, on Sealey flat, a sandbar in the middle of the river about five miles north of the New-York, New-Haven and Hartford railroad bridge. The body was badly decomposed and had evidently been in the water for a long time. On the left temple was a deep wound which was probably made by pistol bullet or a blow from a sharp instrument. The nose was cut, and the face, and there was a large bruise on the top of the head.

The body was dressed in black trousers, a dark brown plaid coat, a white shirt and heavy boots. In the pockets Dr. W. H. Andrews, the Milford medical examiner, found two large handkerchiefs, a small piece of blue ribbon and several other articles; but there was no money, no watch, and the body could not be identified. The man was apparently about thirty years old and weighed 170 pounds. His hair was black and curly, his eyes light blue, his nose straight, and his mouth well defined. He appeared to be of a well-to-do mechanic. Sometime ago George Boyden, the toll-keeper at the Washington drawbridge, about three miles below here, the body was picked up by a dark berry hat that was floating in the water. It had a hole in the front which would correspond with the hole in the temple of the dead man, and the top was broken in. It was saturated with blood. Boyden said that he had never seen the man, and the place where the body was found is only a mile from the place where Rose Ambler's body was discovered. Coroner Holman, of New-Haven, will hold an inquest to-morrow.

#### THE ST. LOUIS GAMBLERS' RING.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.]

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 28.—The Grand Jury indicted with more than ordinary care, and containing many leading business men, to-day made a startling revelation of official corruption. After stating that the investigations were made on the strength of specific charges of official irregularities made by prominent citizens, it gave the results as follows:

A well-organized ring undoubtedly exists in the city in the interest of professional gamblers and lottery dealers, who are ready and willing to pay large sums of money to secure political influence, interference, and who to this end have been aided by notorious individuals whose audacity is equalled only by their greed. So far, the Grand Jury has indicted and convicted several persons, and the ring, which has been in existence for some time, has been broken up. The Grand Jury has also returned two indictments against Warren McChesney, the head of the ring; one for perjury based on an alleged alteration made in the resignation of Commissioner Kinkead, which he held; the other for an alleged attempt to bribe that Commissioner. It is said that several other persons narrowly escaped indictment, and if the investigation is had, a very close connection will be shown between the ring and the ring, which has been in existence for some time, has been broken up.

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#### SOMETHING LIKE THE CHARLIE ROSS CASE.

##### A BOY MISSING FROM HIS HOME IN TRENTON SINCE WEDNESDAY LAST.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.]

TRENTON, Sept. 28.—A case bearing some resemblance to that of Charlie Ross is creating much excitement. Harry Street, a son of Samuel Street, an employe in a hardware store in this city, has been missing since Wednesday. Mr. Street lives at No. 36 Canal-st., and the boy was last seen on East State-st. Wednesday afternoon, near the First Presbyterian Church, some four or five blocks from his home, and he was seen by a neighbor. He was then seen by a little girl, who also lives on Canal-st. The lad was then with a ragged boy, whom the girl thinks was a beggar. She told Harry he had better go home, but he only laughed at her and ran off with his companion, who had walked some distance ahead, toward Greene-st.

Harry was missed Wednesday afternoon, and as evening drew on his parents became anxious, and a search for him was begun through the neighborhood. No trace of him was discovered during the night and in the morning a systematic search was begun. It was at first supposed he might have fallen into the canal, which runs near, as he was accustomed to play along its bank. The search was continued all day, but have not found the slightest trace, nor any word of information that might lead to the recovery of the boy.

#### JUDGED BY HIS ADVISORIES.

##### DEMOCRATIC PRAISE FOR JUDGE ABRETT AT TRENTON.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.]

TRENTON, Sept. 28.—Judge Robert Woodruff presided at a Democratic ratification meeting in this city to-night. Speeches were made by Attorney-General Stockton, Charles E. Hendrickson, Leon Abbott and Congressman McAdoo. Mr. Stockton, in referring to the Republican candidate, said: "What can I say to a gentleman who has three times been appointed by Democratic Governors to the Supreme Court Bench, and who stands preeminent among the Judges of the State? Nothing except that the Republican Convention was very stupid in making a poor candidate for Governor out of a most excellent Judge." Mr. Hendrickson also spoke highly of Judge Dixon, saying he was useful to the State, and that the Republican Convention should unite to keep him there. Some enthusiasm was aroused by the appearance of Mr. Abbott. He accused the Republicans of fraudulently falsifying their candidate from the bench where he had been put by the generosity of Democratic Governors.

#### EXTRADITION PROCEEDINGS DELAYED.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.]

NEW-BRUNSWICK, N. J., Sept. 28.—A dispatch from Trenton says: "Prosecutor E. Kearney and Robert Adams, counsel for Middlesex County, were in the Common Pleas division at court this morning, when counsel for the defaulting collector, Levi D. Jarrard, renewed the application for his discharge from custody in the extradition proceedings. The papers in the case, which were found to be missing when the matter was in court a few days ago, had not been discovered, and the case was again put over until Tuesday, when it is expected the Chief Justice will act."

#### A TELEPHONE COMPANY'S TALK.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.]

Trenton, Sept. 28.—The Trenton assessors this year for the first time assessed the telephones of the Delaware and Atlantic Telegraph and Telephone Company, which controls the Trenton Telephone Exchange. The valuation is fixed at \$11,000, \$50 apiece for each of 220 telephones. To-day the representatives of the company appeared before the assessors, and after a long discussion a compromise was finally effected by which the Telephone Company will pay tax upon a valuation of \$4,000.

#### NO REDUCTION OF SALARIES.

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 28.—The report that the Wisconsin State Legislature would reduce the salaries of officers of the State is a mistake. A CLEVELAND MAN ANXIOUSLY LOOKED FOR.

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—A dispatch from Cleveland regarding the disappearance of the Rev. John Parkman, a Unitarian minister at East Pepper, he was last seen on Monday of this week.

#### LABEL SUITS AGAIN NEWSPAPERS.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 28.—Jacob Monier, of Cleveland, ex-Legation Governor, today filed suit, claiming \$50,000 damages from The Leader and Tribune for the Leader for alleged libel contained in political articles.

### A FATAL BOILER EXPLOSION.

#### THE BOILER OF A TUGBOAT EXPLODES WITH GREAT VIOLENCE—SCENES AND INCIDENTS.

ALBANY, Sept. 28.—The boiler of the steam tug J. S. Robinson, which was at the foot of Westerlo-st., exploded early this morning with great force, instantly killing the captain, George P. Warren, and the fireman, William Cleary, and seriously injuring Frederick Timlan, the engineer, who was blown into the water and narrowly escaped drowning, and William Durand and Melville Ryan, deckhands, Richard Van Zandt, a son of Captain Van Zandt, of the tugboat Cora, from New-Baltimore, which was lying alongside the Robinson, was also killed. Captain Robinson, of the Hattie M. Betts, was blown from his pilot-house on to the wharf and was severely injured. The Betts, which lay at the stern of the Robinson was somewhat damaged. The Cora, which lay alongside the Robinson, was also damaged. The Cora, which lay alongside the Robinson, was also damaged. The Cora, which lay alongside the Robinson, was also damaged.

The Robinson sank immediately, carrying with it the body of Cleary, the fireman. One section of the boiler, weighing two or three tons, was hurled 400 feet against the top story of a three-story building, crushing in a portion of the wall. Another section, weighing nearly a ton, crushed in the roof of the coal barge E. M. Downing, and still another section was hurled to the rear, grazing the cabin of the coal boat Apollo and tearing away the roof before it fell into the river. Buildings were shaken, windows shattered and general consternation prevailed in the vicinity. The exploded boiler was built by Robert Livingston, of the City, 1882.

The wrecking crew of the J. S. Robinson is estimated at \$5,000. The Cora was uninsured and the loss is put at \$5,000. The amount of loss and insurance on the other boats cannot yet be ascertained, as they are owned in other places. The explosion was probably caused by the negligence of the engineer in allowing the water in the boiler to get too low.

#### NARROW ESCAPES.

Captain McAndrew, of the canal-boat Apollo, which was in the rear of the J. S. Robinson, and his wife had a narrow escape. They were asleep when a piece of boiler carried away a section of the roof about 3 1/2 feet long and 1 1/2 feet wide, together with a portion of the end of the cabin nearly down to the bed. The roof was only two feet above their heads. Mr. McAndrew says that the first thing he knew was that he was lying on his back, and that he was surrounded by a cloud of dust and debris. He was then thrown against the wall, and that things were flying all around him. His wife, he said, was in a similar condition, covered with the ruins of pictures and a looking-glass.

Lewis Robinson, of the tug Hattie M. Betts, who was asleep in the pilot-house, turned a complete somersault in the air, and suddenly found himself on the ground. He was not hurt, but the others in the First Precinct Station-house, one-eighty of a mile distant, were thrown from their beds on the floor, and the whole building was violently shaken for several seconds. At first they thought it was an earthquake.

#### THE INSPECTION OF THE ROBINSON.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—The Supervising Inspector-General of Steam Vessels was informed to-day by Supervising Inspector Starbuck, of New-York, of the explosion of the boiler of the John S. Robinson. Mr. Starbuck also informed General Dumont that he would go to Albany to-morrow to inquire into the cause of the accident. The records of the office here show that the Robinson was a vessel of twenty-one tons, was built at New-York in 1868, and was inspected last year on September 27. The reports of this month's inspections not having been received, the Supervising Inspector-General could not say whether or not she has been inspected this year, but supposed, as her certificate would have expired on September 21, she had just been inspected again.

#### DISASTERS TO RAILWAY TRAINS.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Sept. 28.—Between 5 and 6 o'clock this morning a serious accident occurred on the Minneapolis and St. Louis Railroad, about two miles beyond Shakopee, at the foot of the steep grade known as "Chaska Hill," by which four men were killed. Two freight trains were coming into Shakopee, when the rear portion of the first section broke loose and ran back into the other, which was just rounding a curve. A portion of the forward freight was telescoped, and the engines and cars of both trains were badly wrecked, killing almost instantly the engineer, fireman, brakeman and a man supposed to be a coal driver. The last car of the rear train covered. Almost a whole car-load of cattle were killed in the accident.

Between 8 and 9 o'clock this morning the St. Paul and Duluth Railroad yesterday, twenty-eight miles south of this city, a Northern Pacific engine ran into a St. Paul and Duluth freight train. The men on the engine jumped, both engines and several cars were badly wrecked. A fire started in the New York clothing store, which was destroyed, and the train delayed several hours.

#### THREE ATTEMPTS TO WRECK A TRAIN.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Sept. 28.—Three attempts have been made this week to wreck the Nashville and Chattanooga train, which arrives here at 10:30 p. m. The attempts have been made near Tullahoma by chaining rails across the track. The train wrecked on Monday and Wednesday last, but the engine was detached and the train delayed several hours.

#### TROUBLES OF BUSINESS MEN.

HUNTINGDON, Penn., Sept. 28.—The Huntingdon Car and Car Wheel Works, Blain Brothers brothers, has failed. A judgment was entered last evening by the Union Bank for \$50,000; other claims will increase the liabilities to \$200,000. The assets are estimated at \$100,000. There are 400 employes who have not been paid for two months. Efforts will be made to save the business, but it is nearly all lost.

DEARBORN, Mich., Sept. 28.—The well-known drug house of Junkermann & Huse made an assignment yesterday to Peter Kient. Their liabilities are \$1,000; assets, \$100,000. Their affairs are nearly all lost.

BOSTON, Sept. 28.—A meeting of the creditors of Farrington & Hunsell, silversmiths, was held in this city to-day. The liabilities were shown to be about \$102,000, and assets \$32,000, exclusive of tools and machinery which originally cost nearly \$75,000, but of which except in the possession of business. The liabilities include accommodation endorsements on Young, Thayer & Co's paper amounting to \$93,000, and the affairs of the two firms are closely connected. The firm stated that in case they were not called upon to meet any of the above accommodation endorsements, they could, with an extension, probably pay the creditors in full. The matters were placed in charge of a committee consisting of Messrs. J. W. Grinnell, Grinnell and L. L. Seaward, N. J., for investigation.

Louis and Abraham Rothstein, comprising the firm of H. Rothstein & Sons, manufacturers of cloth hats and caps at No. 63 Crosby-st., made an assignment yesterday to Nathan Zwargst. They gave preferences for \$3,012. R. G. Dun & Co's reports show that the firm began business in January, 1876, and succeeded Harris Rothstein, who had failed a few weeks previous. Their capital was small and their sales amounted to about \$100,000 a year. Their liabilities are about \$35,